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SOUGHT LIVES OF CHILDREN, CHARGE

G. L. Darnell Placed Under \$1500 Peace Bond.

On Thursday of this week there was an unusual trial at the courthouse when a father was charged with attempting to have the lives of his two sons and daughter taken. This charge was made by J. Darnell, left Darnell and Miss Dixie Darnell, children of G. L. Darnell, against their father, stating he had tried to get "Slick" Davis, a negro worth \$100,000, to kill them. The two sons and daughter testified that the unusual trial of the negro on Wednesday when he returned from town attracted their attention. He did not take time to eat his supper at their home, as was his custom, but hurried to their father's house. Becoming suspicious, they said, they followed the negro and hid just on the other side of the levee in front of their father's house, seeing their father and young stepmother come out in the yard to meet the negro and overheard the conversation they had. According to their testimony, the father insisted on the negro's killing them, but the negro seemed to be protesting. The negro on the stand swore positively what they had said. The father is sixty-five years old and is said to be wealthy, having 200 or 250 acres of the bottom land. He has a young wife 19 years old and a little child by this second marriage and there seems to have been friction between them for some time. As a result of the trial here Thursday afternoon, Mr. Darnell was placed under a \$1500 peace bond.

After the trial at the court house here, "Slick" Davis departed immediately for his former home near Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Darnell is well known in the bottom and here.

RONEY-CHOATE.

A wedding which came as a surprise and which is of interest to the many friends of both young people was that of Miss Maggie Choate to Bollen Roney last Thursday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. H. Warren, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fulton, at his home in that city. The couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roper and Miss Mabel Choate, sister of the bride, these being the only ones present at the wedding. Immediately after the ceremony the newlyweds left for a few days' wedding trip to Memphis, returning Sunday afternoon.

The bride is one of the finest young ladies we have ever had the pleasure of being associated with. She is endowed with an attractive and winsome nature which has won for her a host of friends. She is the oldest daughter of John Choate and wife.

The groom, we think, is one of Hickman's most excellent young men. He is well known to most of the readers of The Courier, being one of the publishers of this paper and this fact, through modesty, makes us feel a delicacy in announcing the fitness of his parts and possibilities through these columns, as we do in most instances, and hence the evidence of the soft recital in delineating the category of his virtues. At any rate, at least by virtue of the bride, we feel safe in stating that the excellent qualities of both young people augur a salubrious marriage life for the young couple.

WOODROW WILSON FUND.

Following is a list of persons who have contributed to the Woodrow Wilson Foundation since last week:

Gould Johnson	\$2.50
Mrs. Ida DeBow	1.00
Roy Clark	1.00
O. C. DeForest	1.00
J. M. Calvia	.50
C. G. McMurtry	.50
Previously acknowledged	102.50
Total received to date	110.00

This still leaves \$40 to be contributed in order to make Fulton County's quota. Surely enough persons are interested to make up that amount.

E. J. Stahr, Chairman.
Miss Inez Lutten, V-Chmn.

On Monday afternoon, from 2:30 to 4:30, Mrs. Joe Engle was the hostess of an enjoyable bridge party, at which there were four tables. A salad course and coffee were served. Her guests were Mesdames Edward Prather, Gus Alexander, Karl Talley, C. T. Bondurant, Bollen Roney, F. T. Randle, Cecil Roper, Arnett Hendrix, Henry Sanger, R. B. Coffee, W. B. Amberg, R. L. Bradley, Guy Hale, and Misses Jane Binford, Allie Dodds, Pauline Shaw, Nell Bondurant, Thela Barnes and Ruth Barrett.

N. R. Holcombe leaves next week for Greenville, Miss., after spending the winter with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Holcombe.

H. L. Amberg, accompanied by Mrs. Amberg, left Sunday morning for the St. Louis market to buy new spring goods.

Purina Hen Chow and Purina Chowder will make the old hen produce.—Reld Bros.

W. B. Amberg and C. B. Travis went to Louisiana this week on a business trip, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reed, of Paducah, spent Sunday here guests of Dr. C. W. Curlin and family.

Jim Townsend has the flu.



BAZAAR AND CANDY SALE.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give a Doll Clothes Bazaar and Candy Sale on Feb. 25th, at 2 o'clock in the Clark store building on Clinton St.

Our good friend E. R. Ellison is having a new back wall put on his store building this week. Last week and the week before he advertised his sale in The Courier and he states that such crowds attended that the wall was pushed out. He will, no doubt, have the wall repaired and other bargains to tell you about next week.

After a career of 36 years as a teacher in the Omaha schools, Miss Clara F. Cooper has asked to be retired on a pension.

Mrs. Sam B. Parker left Tuesday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Eavis, and other relatives, in Caruthersville, Mo.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Rev. W. F. Remmenberg, Rector.
Sextagesima Sunday, Feb. 19.
Holy Eucharist 8 a. m.
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Holy Eucharist and Sermon 11 a. m.
Evangelism and Sermon 7 p. m.

C. H. Smith, of Bondurant, better known as "Shingle" Smith, was in Hickman Wednesday returning home from a visit with his sister at Rockhaven. He was accompanied on his return by his niece, little Miss Emma Richey, who will visit him at Bondurant for several days.

W. H. Baltzer leaves Sunday for St. Louis to buy spring goods. He will be accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. K. A. Talley.

Dressmaking and Hemstitching by Miss Zora Davis, Franklin's Store, Fulton, Ky.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Bible School 9:45.
Communion and Preaching at 10:45.
Subject: "Friendship and Friendliness."
Night Worship 7 o'clock.
E. L. Milley, Pastor.

A. A. Surgeon C. P. Coogle, of the U. S. Public Health Service, will spend the week in Fulton County making a malaria survey in the public schools of the towns and county. Dr. Coogle will be assisted in his work by Dr. J. M. Hubbard and Mrs. A. E. Sims.

Mrs. Howard Thomas and two children, of Moondis, Ill., has returned home after a visit with J. A. Thomas and wife and Mrs. A. J. Walker and family.

Chester Barnes returned last week from Lexington, where he has been attending the State University.

PRE-WAR PRICES

We have decided to clean up our implement stock, and in the run of several years we have accumulated too-heavy stocks on certain sizes of implements. In order to move out a lot of surplus implements we are making the following prices:

Nos. 20 and 40 Oliver Plows, at—
\$12.50 and \$13.50
Oliver Stalk Cutter
at—
\$37.50
Lone Jack Cultivators
at—
\$25.00
No. 3 True Blue Plows
with cutter points at . . . **\$17.00**
We are offering some off
brand Plows that are good at **\$10.00**

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N. C. & ST. L. OFFICIALS UNABLE TO COME

H. F. Smith, the first vice-president of the N. C. & St. L. Railroad, who is also the traffic manager, Mr. Lightfoot, the General Passenger Agent of the road, together with a number of other officials of the railroad, were scheduled to arrive here Wednesday on a special train from Nashville to go over the matter of reinstating the two passenger trains removed during the war. Advice came Wednesday morning by wire, however, that they were unable to leave Nashville this week. This trip will possibly be arranged for another date in the early future. The matter of reinstating these two trains has been vigorously pushed by the people of Hickman and Union City, in fact all the towns between Huntington, Tenn. and Hickman. The Nashville Chamber of Commerce has also been pushing the matter. These trains would mean much to the people in this section and Western Tennessee. They were in this service thirty years continuously prior to the war and were removed as a war measure of economy.

WOULD BETTER AID FARMERS.

J. L. Offutt, of Bloomfield, and a progressive farmer of the northern part of Nelson County, was in Hickman Monday on an important mission. He represents the Extension Division of the University of Kentucky, having been engaged in the present work only for the past few weeks. The Extension Division has sent Mr. Offutt to the counties of Kentucky where the University is co-operating with the Farm Bureau, in an effort to learn the kind of work that is being done for the farmers and to receive suggestions for the betterment of the service which the division of the university is doing. His desire was to secure the ideas of the farmers themselves about this service. He said that from his experience as a farmer, and that has always been his vocation, he had found that great benefits could be derived from heeding the advice which the county agent gives in the matter of production and harvesting. He says that the University's Extension Division is anxious to serve the farmers in the best possible way, and that at the present through their efforts a pure seed law is before the legislature of the state, which will probably be passed this week. Laws assuring the purchaser protection in buying seed, fertilizers and feed are greatly needed in this state, and according to Mr. Offutt, the start having been made, the University intends to push these laws.

BIG SUM OF FARM BONDS PUT ON SALE

A. W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, announces that \$75,000,000 of 5 per cent federal farm loan bonds, the largest offering of such securities ever made, would be placed on sale by the twelve federal land banks, one of which is located in Louisville, beginning Monday.

The bonds will be placed on the market at 102½ and accrued interest, at which price they will yield approximately 4.70 per cent to the callable date and 5 per cent thereafter. They will be dated November 1, 1921, due on November 1, 1941, and callable at the option of the issuing bank after November 1, 1931.

These bonds will be for sale by the land banks, Farm Loan Association, the Federal Farm Loan Board and bond distributors, according to the usual plan.

Mr. Mellon believes the bonds will be absorbed readily, due to the favorable trend of the investment market, and that their sale will do much to improve agricultural conditions, as the proceeds will go directly to the farmers of the country.

Of the \$75,000,000 issue, \$7,000,000 has been allotted to the Louisville Federal Land Bank, according to Walter Howell, president. These bonds, he said, already have been executed and are ready for sale and delivery to investors.

CUTCHEONS-EVANS.

Miss Maxie Evans, of near State Line, and J. R. Cutcheons, of St. Louis, were quietly married Saturday. The bride is a daughter of George Evans, was born and reared near this city and is well known. The groom is a resident of St. Louis and is a traveling salesman for Swift Packing Co., with headquarters in Union City. He makes this city weekly and is well known to the business people of this section.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

There was a large and appreciative attendance at the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church last Monday. The lesson was on Cuba and was made especially interesting by Mrs. Maggie Randle, who gave us an interesting and instructive talk on her trip to Cuba. Our lesson next Monday is the regular monthly mission study, "Money The Acid Test." We cordially invite the ladies of other churches to join this study.

The city is this week having the holes in the street in front of the Curlin block filled with rock, smoothing the street off along there. This was badly needed, as it was one of the worst sections of street in the city, having one hole and undulation after another.

Gid Willingham, of Fulton, was in the city on business Monday.

STATE COAL LAND TAX BOOST IS SET

State Tax Commission Will Commence Hearing on Assessments Today.

Assessment of real and personal property in Kentucky will be little changed from that of 1920 by the process of equalizing the 1921 valuation, on which the State Tax Commission will commence hearings today.

Tentative raises have been made on 105 of the 120 counties, but, even with their raises, seventy-seven of them are below 1920 figures, and a total of \$31,440,213, while twenty-eight, including most of the coal counties were raised a total of \$37,340,000, putting the tentative assessments of the 105 counties \$5,400,196 above that of 1920.

In these raises, outside the coal counties, Rainey T. Wells, chairman, said the only aim was to keep land up to what it was last year. A big loss in livestock and personal property brings down the assessment in all the counties.

Mr. Wells also said the assessments this year come nearer conforming to sale prices on the transfer sheets sent in by the County Clerk than they ever did before.

The biggest net raise on any county was Harlan \$7,753,556; the next Perry, \$6,688,766, and Letcher, \$4,142,530.

The counties of this district showing a decrease over the last previous assessment are Fulton, Hickman, Ballard, McCracken, Marshall and Calloway, while the only county in the district to show an increase in the tentative assessment over last year year is Carlisle.

Following is a list of these eight counties giving the dates on which their representatives are to appear before the commission, giving the raises and the increase or decrease from the last previous assessment:

Fulton—Raised \$450,000; land \$400,000, lots \$50,000. Decrease of \$340,823 from last year. Hearing set for Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Hickman—Raised \$1,400,000; land \$1,200,000, lots \$100,000, personality \$100,000. Decrease of \$216,478 from last year. Hearing set for Wednesday, March 1.

Ballard—Raised \$900,000; land \$750,000, lots \$50,000, personality \$100,000. Decrease of \$736,608 from last year. Hearing set for Saturday, February 25.

Graves—Raised \$3,150,000; land \$2,500,000, lots \$150,000, personality \$500,000. Decrease of \$1,062,480 from last year. Hearing set for Tuesday, February 28.

McCracken—Raised \$1,450,000; land \$400,000, lots \$50,000, personality \$1,000,000. Decrease of \$851,537 from last year. Hearing set for Friday, March 3.

Marshall—Raised \$1,150,000; land \$1,000,000, lots \$50,000, personality \$100,000. Decrease of \$208,840 from last year. Hearing tomorrow.

Calloway—Raised \$2,125,000; land \$1,800,000, lots \$125,000, personality \$200,000. Decrease of \$574,509 from last year. Hearing Monday, Feb. 27.

Carlisle—Raised \$1,100,000; land \$900,000, lots \$50,000, personality \$150,000. Increase of \$274,601 from last year. Hearing Monday, February 27.

FULTON'S RAISE \$450,000.

It is not surprising to receive the news from Frankfort that the State Tax Commission is at its old tricks of tax raising. Fulton, whose taxburdened shoulders have ever seemed to the commission ready to receive an additional increase is advanced another \$450,000 in the tentative assessment plans of the commission.

But we must pay the expenses. The state and national governments, in spite of the fact that the people who pay the taxes are crying for economy, are increasing old expenses and adding new ones with every turn of the legislative wheel. Every new bill introduced provides for new offices, to be filled of course by friends of the sponsor of the bill.

But we shall not object. We will continue to have tax increases made, while our legislators debate the question of having whistles put on moonshine stills, or our solemn senate surveys the proposition of dividing the year into thirteen months.

In justice to the tax commission we may say that they have in a measure evened things up by putting an additional assessment on the coal counties of the state which will make them more nearly pay their share of the state's taxes.

Capt. C. P. Coogle, of the U. S. Public Health Service, and who is here making a malaria survey of the county, delivered an interesting address to the children of the Hickman schools Wednesday morning on the subject of malaria and its causes.

Will Huff left Sunday for Colorado Springs, Colo., where he will enter the Woodmen Sanitarium for his health. He expects to spend six months in the sanitarium, building up and regaining his health.

J. A. Thomas, who has been sick for some time, will be taken to the Baptist Memorial Hospital at Memphis today, where he will undergo an operation for gall stones by Dr. Christler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascombe Lunsford of Bloomfield, N. J., are here visiting the former's father, L. C. Lunsford, and family. Bascombe holds a splendid position in that city.

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INCOME TAX FACTS

Changes in the revenue law are of material benefit to the average family man. Under the revenue act of 1921 a married person, living with wife or husband, whose net income for 1921 was \$5000 or less, is allowed a personal exemption of \$2,500. Under the revenue act of 1918 the exemption allowed a married person was \$2,000, regardless of the amount of his net income.

The normal tax rate is the same, 4 per cent on the first \$4,000 of net income above the exemptions, and 8 per

cent on the remaining net income. Given his personal exemption of \$2,500, plus \$400 for each dependent, a married man with three children—the average American family—will pay this year on a net income of \$4,000 a tax of \$12. On the same income for 1921 he would have paid a tax of \$36.

Every citizen and resident of the United States must determine for himself whether his income for 1921 was sufficient to require that a return be filed. Full instructions for making out a return are contained on the forms, a copy of which will be sent to taxpayers who filed a return last year. Failure to receive a return, however, does not relieve a taxpayer of his obligation to file a return on time, on or before March 15, 1922. Forms may be obtained from collectors of internal revenue and branch offices.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a general strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

WARRING ON THEATER COUGH

Here Are Some Suggestions That May Aid in Doing Away With Annoying Disturbance.

Cough and the house coughs with you, has long been a maxim of the theater. It is contagion in its quickest form. Actors are now in arms against it, claiming that most theater-coughing is mere habit and could be controlled. What good the actors' protest will do remains to be seen, but the outlook for a coughless theater is not wholly hopeless. People no longer sneeze like a set piece of Paine's fireworks, and they may in time learn to refine the cough.

Of course, coughing has its uses. Discreet employment of it by an adult may keep a child companion from hearing an improper line in a farce, but this process is wearing. It necessitates advance knowledge of the dialogue, and a larynx of iron. Best of all methods of regulating the theater cough would be by means of a cough indicator, one attached to each chair. By a delicate mechanism on the seismograph principle—the principle by which earthquakes are recorded—each cough of any magnitude would be rung up like car fare. Each patron would be entitled during an evening to so many—say, ten. At the eleventh, patron would vanish through a trap-door in the floor to a first-aid station in the basement, where throat specialist with sprays would be in constant attendance.

"'Tis sweet to hear the watchdog's honest bark," wrote Byron. The watchdog's, yes.—Arthur H. Folwell in Leslie's Weekly.

SAFETY IN FINGER PRINTS

Chicago Post Office Authorities Are to Use Them When Savings Accounts Are Opened.

Finger-print impressions must now be taken of every person desiring to open a postal savings account, at both the main post office and the stations. The print of the first or index finger on each hand must be taken. This is done so that in the event of injury to the right hand, making it impossible to take the finger print in making a withdrawal, the identification may be established by the first finger of the left hand.

"The purpose of the finger-print impression is for the protection of the depositor and the post office," said Postmaster Arthur C. Leuder of Chicago. "We are particularly anxious that it shall not be associated with finger printing by the police department. While test questions ordinarily are sufficient to identify the depositor, cases have arisen in which near relatives or acquaintances have answered the test questions to the satisfaction of the paying postmaster or clerk, and thereby secured deposits illegally. Then, too, many of our foreign-born depositors in the progress of their Americanization attend the schools and show such improvement in their writing that their signatures materially change. Finger prints in such cases save the depositor the possibility of delay in withdrawing his funds."

Modernizing Jerusalem.

To the stranger the majority of the natives in and around Jerusalem appear to spend their time carving all kinds of queer things out of olive wood and stringing beads cut from the big mother of pearl shells which are brought across the desert by caravan from the shores of the Red sea. The ancient city, where more than half of the population live in stone houses like caves underground, has been cleaned up by the efforts of the new civil administration. The people have been taught to collect their garbage and cover it over until called for and to sprinkle the surface of the water in their quaint old cisterns with crude petroleum to keep the mosquitoes from breeding there in the summer during the malarial season.

SILLYADS

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When your family sorrowfully sees the last of you, you can see your family happily last, if you were insured with Henry & Talley.

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If a plumber did a job in an opium den, could it be proven that he hit the pipe? For the best pipe dream have it attended to by the Hickman Tin & Plumbing Co., phone 73.

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When you go to Kentucky you tip the bell boy, the porter and the waiter. When you leave you tip the scales over one hundred. To gain weight eat at the Busy Bee Cafe.

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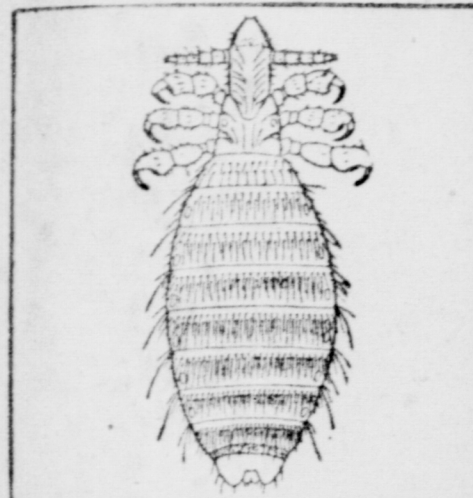
LIVE STOCK FACTS

COMMON AILMENTS OF SHEEP

Information Given in Farmer's Bulletin to Enable Owners to Recognize Symptoms.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

How to recognize and treat the more important diseases and common ailments of sheep is told in Farmers' Bulletin 1155, just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

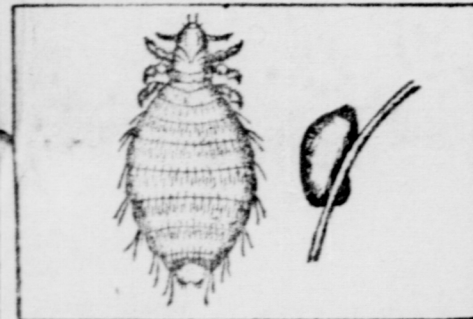


A Sheep Parasite—Back View of Female Sucking Body Louse (Highly Enlarged.)

While the actual treatment of disease is primarily a matter for veterinarians, the information given in the new bulletin will enable sheep owners to recognize symptoms early in their development and thus avoid losses to their flocks. Altogether 57 kinds of diseases and ailments are discussed.

The sheep industry of the country has suffered severely from the ravages of infectious and noninfectious diseases. In addition to the scientific names, the bulletin gives the common names by which the various diseases are known. A convenient arrangement of cause, symptoms, post-mortem appearance, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention makes it possible for sheep owners to obtain a practical knowledge of the best means for preventing and controlling sickness in the flocks. Numerous illustrations add to the clearness of the discussion.

As a companion bulletin to "Diseases of Sheep," the department is distributing also Farmers' Bulletin 1150, en-



Adult Sheep Foot Louse and Egg (Enlarged.)

titled "Parasites and Parasitic Diseases of Sheep." This bulletin explains methods for controlling various pests and parasites that attack sheep and points out the advantages of pasture rotation, feeding from racks, and other measures of value in parasite control.

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Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens you right up and you feel great. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.

FISHERMAN PIERSON SICK

W. Fred Pierson of Bayou de Chien, who has been quite ill with smallpox, is reported as being better. It is reported that he will not be "at home" to friends for some time yet. His family is also reported as doing all right.

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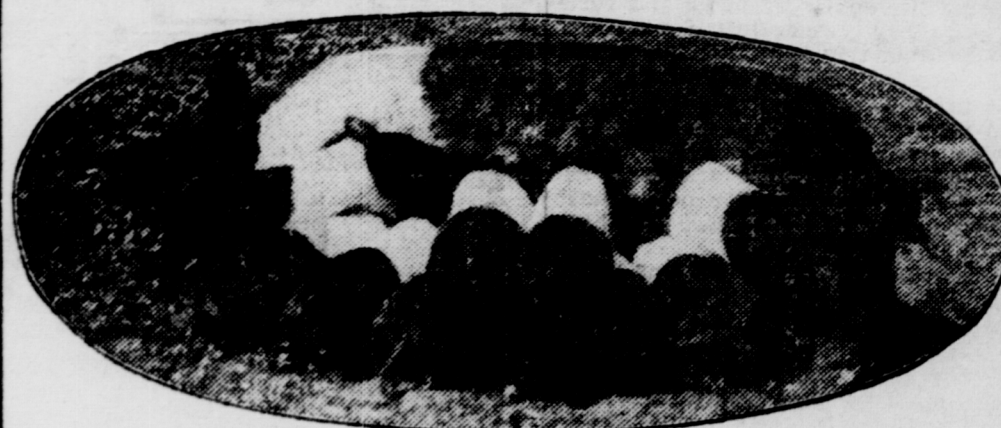
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Arr. 8:00 p. m.	Leave 3:10 p. m.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.

Arrive	Leave
2:00 p. m.	6:50 a. m.
8:50 p. m.	2:05 p. m.

In ancient Babylon all girls, as soon as they were marriageable, were put up at auction and sold. The price obtained for the most beautiful ones was assigned as a dowry for the homely ones.

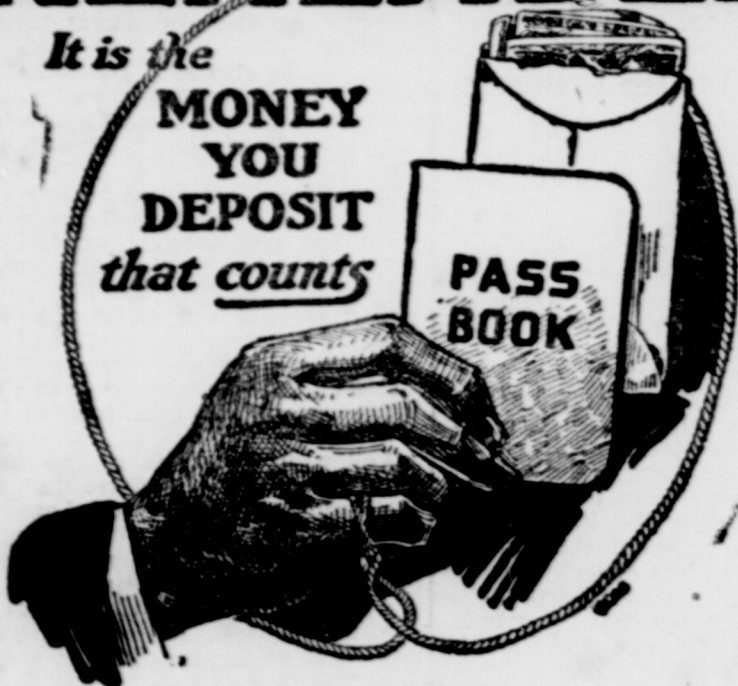
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You can place your order now for your new spring and summer suit and overcoat for whenever you say.

We invite you to call and look the line over. Remember the date and pass the good word along to any of your friends, many of whom will be glad to take advantage of the opportunity.

Cordially yours

Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co.

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The Store That Leads

Mrs. L. A. Stone and daughter, Miss Mary, were called to Greenfield, Tenn., Friday on account of the death of Mrs. Stone's uncle.

Tanlac has made life worth living for millions of people who had almost given up hope. It will do the same for you.—J. C. Ellison Drug Co.



OLD AT 30 OR YOUNG AT 60?

The choice is largely up to you. If your blood lacks red corpuscles, you're going to be fagged and dragged out, you're going to lack "pep," to look sallow and unhealthy, to grow old before your time.

DR. MILES' TONIC

actually increases the number of red corpuscles in the blood. It makes the cheeks plump and rosy, stimulates the digestive organs, creates a healthy appetite, and leads to increased vigor and vitality. First bottle guaranteed to help you or money refunded.

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST

PIUS XI



From Bishop to Pope in about two years' time is the rise of his Holiness Pius XI, who was Cardinal Achille Ratti, Archbishop of Milan. He was born in Italy, October 12, 1858. He received the Red Hat as Cardinal only last year.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

9:45 a. m., Sunday School, F. T. Randle, Supt.
10:45 a. m., Preaching by the pastor.
7 p. m., Evangelistic Service.
3 p. m. Monday, Woman's Missionary Society.
7 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Service.
3 p. m. Thursday, Ladies' Aid Society.
The Board of Stewards will meet at 7:30 Sunday at the Church.
Subject of morning service, "Insects and Other Little Things."
Rev. E. A. Tucker, Pastor.

Tanlac now has the largest sale of any medicine in the world. There is a reason.—J. C. Ellison Drug Co.

E. Dobson and wife left Sunday for the St. Louis market to buy new spring goods.

CITES FIGURES IN SOLDIER BONUS ACT

Here are the figures showing at a glance what the former service men will get for varying periods under the proposed soldier bonus act. The figures show what he would get on a cash basis or under the four options, which include insurance, vocational training, farm or home aid and land settlement. The periods are calculated on the maximum period of service and also on the basis of one year and of six months and will serve to give the soldier an approximate idea of what is "coming to him" according to his length of service.

Most an overseas soldier could get: Cash, \$958.25; other options, \$1,342.25.

Most a home service soldier could get: Cash, \$755; other options, \$1,057.

A soldier who served one full year overseas would get: Cash, \$396.25; other options, \$554.74.

A soldier who served one full year at home would get: Cash, \$305; other options, \$472.

A soldier who served six months overseas would get: Cash, \$175; other options, \$245.

A soldier who served six months at home would get: Cash, \$128; other options, \$178.20.

NOTICE

to land owners of Bayou de Chien Drainage District:

Take notice that the Board of Drainage Commissioners has passed the following resolutions, and ordered publication of same:

Whereas, The Drainage Assessment Record of the Bayou de Chien Drainage District is now in the hands of the secretary of this board, the same having been duly approved by the Judge, and duly certified by the Clerk of the Hickman Circuit Court; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be, and the same is, hereby directed to give notice, by publication of this notice two times in one newspaper in each of the three counties in which the district is located, that all persons owning land in the said Bayou de Chien Drainage District that the said Drainage Assessment Record is now in the hands of J. A. Porter, Treasurer of the Board of Drainage Commissioners of Hickman county, Ky., and that any person owning land in the said district may or may not, on or before Monday, March 27, 1922, pay to the said Treasurer his or her minimum district assessment against any separate and distinct tract or parcel of land within the said district.

Given under my hand this, the 11th day of February, 1922.
J. A. PORTER, Secretary.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It stimulates and regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60¢ per bottle.

SYLVAN SHADE COMMUNITY CLUB

The program rendered at the last meeting of the community club was by far the most successful number given this year. Notwithstanding the fact that one of the main speakers of the evening, Mrs. Sims, could not be present, since she was called to Louisville on business, the large crowd of patrons and children went home declaring that they were highly entertained.

Each number of the evening showed a thorough preparation. Mrs. Cecil Shaw's room consisting of several children each, and most especially their efficient leader, deserves much merit for the splendid entertaining part of the program, which consisted of a short play, songs and readings, all in season for February. The discussion of the subject of poultry, consisting of natural and artificial incubation, and selection of eggs was interesting and some very instructive papers were prepared and read by Mesdames Richard Prather, A. M. Shaw and Henri Maddox. The standard set by all who participated in the program will be difficult to surpass, but if we can only hold it there will be no room for just criticism.

You that have not attended one of these community meetings do not have any idea of the source of information and entertainment that you are missing. Favor us with your presence and you will not have to be reminded again of the value of such meetings to your community.

The program committee, knowing the county nurses' willingness and desire to serve the people, placed her on the program again for the next meeting.

Our next meeting will be on March 3. If you should forget the date, ask your neighbors; they know, but only remember that they are on the first Friday evening of each month. Following is the program that will be given then:

I. Entertainment by Miss Lulu Shuff's room.

II. Lecture on Health, by Mrs. Sims.

III. Discussion: Orchardling. (a). Grafting, by Mr. Shuff; (b). Pruning, by Jim Maddox; (c). Spraying, by Jesse McNeill; (d). Discussion of Orchardling in General, by County Agent Cunningham.

IV. Reading of program for April.

V. Song, "My Old Kentucky Home."

The members of the program committee wish to express their sincere desire that each member on the program, from time to time, be present with well constructed papers or well thought out speeches. The welfare and success of the meeting depends upon your earnest support.

Lastly, but not least, we can boast of the splendid order that we had last meeting. This shows 100 per cent support; it shows, too, the deep respect that you have for yourself, your community and for those participating in the program.

School Notes

The progress in country life demands that the doors of the school swing open freely, inviting hearty co-operation in the common cause of a better life for all. The educators, both great and small, rightly say that this kind of an institution must become a center of interest—a point for promoting neighborliness and common brotherhood, and a fount of ideas on all civic questions and problems of common interest.

The teaching force at Sylvan Shade stands first and last in supporting any movement for progress in any civic development and for a better school. So our latching hands on the outside to patrons and visitors who are interested in our work. Do not wait for a special invitation to visit and observe our work. Your presence will be encouraging and stimulating to us in our efforts.

We were glad to welcome some of our school supporters and boosters to our High School Literary Club last week. Visit our club again next Friday afternoon. We hope to have an interesting "Mute Court" program. Cemo and see Judge McMurry preside. We also hope that the "divorce suit" of Mrs. Katherine P. Roper vs. Melvin Roper will be properly settled by the new officers of the mute court. The grand jury will also be selected for our next court. Our mute court programs will be the nature of the programs for three or four meetings.

Basket ball has been somewhat affected by the low temperature for the last few weeks, since our court is an outdoor one, but we hope to be able to see real soon the "reds" and the "blacks" of the girl teams, and the "handkerchiefs" and the "nons" of the boys tossing at the goal.

Why was the principal smiling last Monday morning when the sophomore class in algebra filed into his room? "New blackboard," whispered one of the sophs, was sufficient explanation. A short visit was made by the county school superintendent, Miss Lutten, last Friday afternoon. Come again, come sooner and stay longer, was the extended invitation given her.

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 35¢.

Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

INCOME TAX MAN COMING

A deputy collector from the office of the collector of internal revenue, Robert H. Lucas, will be in Hickman, Ky., on February 17 to 20, and Clinton on February 21 and 22, 1922, for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in preparing their returns.

Take your income tax troubles to him. He will be glad to help you.

Victoria Alexandra Alice Mary is the full name of England's princess who is soon to become a bride.

STILL A HERO



Charles Brickley, Harvard graduate and great hero of the football gridiron, is still a hero. He has donned overalls and gone to work as a common laborer in a Connecticut carpet factory to earn a living for his wife and two children. He tried New York after graduation a few years ago—but a college education without funds," he says, "don't mean anything." So now he is going to learn the carpet business from the bottom up.

UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Hickman. No Hickman resident who suffers backache or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice told testimony.

John H. Nelson, painter and farmer, E. State St., Hickman, says: "I used one box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they did me a great deal of good. I had severe kidney trouble and my bladder was weak. I also had constant pains. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended I got a box and used them as directed. In a short time I was cured. I have had no occasion to use Doan's since then. I can highly recommend them to any one suffering from kidney trouble." (Statement given January 26, 1912.)

On December 3, 1920, Mr. Nelson said: "I have the same good opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills as when I endorsed them several years ago. I take a few Doan's whenever my kidneys are out of order and they never fail to promptly strengthen my kidneys and leave me in good condition."

Price 60¢, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Nelson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

A nice line of canned and bottled goods at Battersworth's.

The British Society of Women Engineers is offering prizes for the best ideas in house improvement, especially such as will tend to make the work of the housewife easier.

St. Louis Furnishing Co.

Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers

THE BIG STORE WITH THE LITTLE PRICES

Day Phone 84
Night Phone 312

LEE'S Lice Killer

(Liquid and Powder)

AND

GERMOZONE

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Stop and Look!

A great reduction in the price of SHOE AND HARNESS WORK. We also recover auto tops and put glass in the side and back curtains.

R. C. LUTER

SHOE AND HARNESS SHOP

Opposite Smith & Amberg's

RUBBER TIRING

Bring your tire work to us. We are prepared to put on new tires on short notice. We use good rubber. Prices reasonable.

Also we make

Table Meal, Chops for Feeding Chickens or Stock

Meal, per bushel, 80¢

Chops, per 100 lbs, \$1.25

Bring your bag and give us a trial. We will make the price and the quality of the goods right.

J. E. MAY & SON

in Hickman Wagon Shop Building

GRAND LEADER BARBER SHOP
NOW OPEN FOR SERVICE

Next door to Mr. Mooney's Place, Near Ice Plant

One Trial Will Convince You—Superior Work

W. F. FINLEY, B. BEAUREGARD, J. W. ROSS

THE COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

Pasturing.

It is now seeding time and every farmer should be thinking about pastures for the spring and summer.

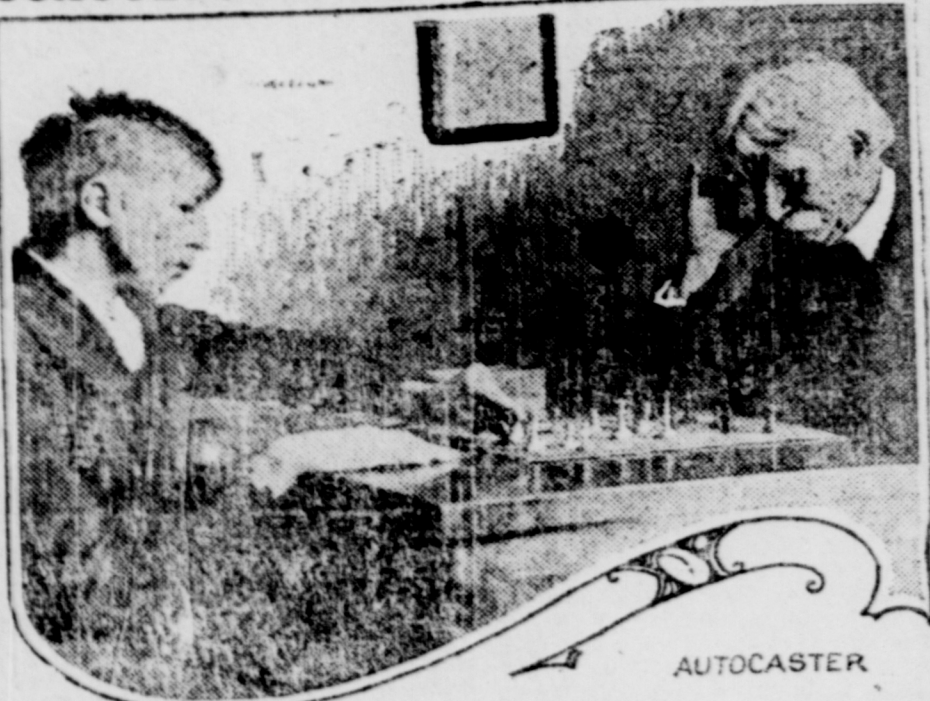
Oats and rape make one of the best early spring pastures for hogs and sheep. Rape is one of the best pasture plants for hogs. It has lots of protein and mineral matter in it which is needed for building bone and muscle. A pig's first job is to grow bone and muscle and when he is grown he can be fattened. Corn is a fattening material and the man who feeds corn alone to growing hogs gets the cart before the horse and which results in getting the balance on the wrong side of the sheet. Sow 6 pounds of rape and one and one-half bushels of oats per acre. For a permanent pasture the following is one of the best mixtures: 8 lbs. orchard grass, 2 lbs. red top, 2 lbs. alsike clover and 4 lbs. Japan clover per acre. This mixture gives variety, feeds on depths of soil and comes on at different seasons of the year.

Orchards.

It is now time to spray and prune that orchard. Apple trees require very little pruning. Only the limbs that interfere or water sprout growth should be cut out. Peach trees should be heavily pruned. Peaches are always produced on new wood and heavy pruning is necessary to produce new growth.

It is now time to put on the dormant spray to control San Jose scale and other insects that destroy the tree. It

SCHOOLBOY CHESS MASTER STILL WINS



William Wimsatt, 14-year-old Washington schoolboy, is the new chess champion. He never evades a challenge for match play and is shown here defeating Col. M. F. Tibe, who holds many chess club championships. Col. Tibe is a newspaper correspondent who for thirty years has reported affairs at the White House.

AUTOCASER

Is necessary to keep the tree in healthy condition in order to get fruit and it can be done by the use of lime sulphur applied during the dormant season.

Further information can be obtained from the County Agent as he will be glad to assist any farmer who wishes it with his orchard.

Set Them Early.

Early pullets are the chickens that lay winter eggs. Winter eggs are the eggs that bring the big prices. It is highly profitable to raise early chicks.

Dust the old hen with sodium fluoride before putting her to setting. Put a piece of moist sod in the bottom of the nest and make a new nest out of some clean straw before putting the hen to set. Eggs need a certain amount of moisture during incubation.

Thirty settings of purebred eggs were shipped to Jackson, Tenn., last week by the Fulton County Poultry Association. The Association has calls for White Rocks, Barred Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, White Leghorns, etc. If you have a purebred flock why not line up with the Association and supply these eggs. Why sell eggs at two bits when you can sell them at six bits per dozen?

O. L. Cunningham, Co. Agent.

The law on shooting and trapping of furred animals expired Wednesday, the 15th, after an extra good season, both for the hunter and the trapper. There is much trapping done around Reelfoot Lake and during the season, which lasts throughout most of the winter months, this proves a remunerative business for many. Throughout this section they trap for the coon, possum, mink, muskrat and get a very few otters and beavers. The otter, however, is quite rare. Fur this winter has also brought a good price, and the fur trade in this city or section amounts to an average of about \$3000 weekly. Very little thought is given this business, it seems, and few realize that the trapping and fur business would amount to anything like this figure weekly.

John Ledbetter, who is in the government hospital at Johnson City, Tenn., undergoing treatment in the hope of alleviating the condition which resulted from being gassed in a test conducted by the government, writes that his condition has been improving since he has been in the sanatorium.

A bill to prohibit women from smoking in hotels and restaurants has been introduced in the Massachusetts Legislature.

Public Sale

On account of my health I shall rent my farm and will offer for sale at public auction on

**WEDNESDAY
February 22**

All my live stock, mules, cattle, sheep and hogs, and all farming implements, corn and hay.

Sale will take place at my home on the Gravel Road, about one mile from Hickman.

TERMS: Nine months at 8 per cent interest, or 4 per cent off for cash.

If raining sale will be held on February 23
FRANK WATSON

STACY ADAMS AND
WALK OVER SHOESKUPPENHEIMER AND
SHERMAN ALL WOOL SUITS

ANNOUNCING the first showing of Stetson Hats for Spring 1922. We are showing all the latest styles and colors, but from the wide variety of styles at various prices we are showing the new **STETSONIAN**, the feature hat for spring.

We shall be more than pleased to show you one of these new spring hats.



The Five Store
MEN'S FURNISHINGS & CLOTHING

Harry Lynch, Manager

DUTCHESS
GUARANTEED TROUSERSMANHATTAN AND ARROW
SHIRTS AND COLLARSTHE BEST SPRING STYLES
FOR YOUR MONEY

- They are better made
- They are better goods
- They are cheaper in price
- Than has been possible for many seasons

The assortment is wonderful as are the styles and they're tailored by the **A. E. ANDERSON & CO.**
Tailors, Chicago

Come in and see our wonderful line of new spring samples

R. L. BRADLEY, Local Representative

The
Scrap Book

DIDN'T FEEL THE HANDICAP

Simple Precaution That Enabled Shrewd Individual to Emerge Victor in "Pea Race."

It was galatday at Worstock, and among the many events was a "pea race." Each competitor had to produce two dozen peas and place them in his boots before a committee of umpires.

At the appointed time the race began, and away hobbled the men. One old fellow, however, did not seem to be affected by the tortures which the peas inflicted on the others, and he walked past the winning post far ahead of the rest.

On being complimented by a friend and asked how he managed to beat so many younger men, he replied: "Well, you see, I took the precaution to boll them peas!"

SEEMS SO.

PLAYED PART IN REVOLUTION

Last of "Signal Trees" Near the Valley Forge Camp of Washington Recently Removed.

With the removal recently of an ancient chestnut at Stratford, Pa., there disappeared one of Chester county's notable landmarks. It was the last of a score or more "signal trees" used during the Revolution as observation posts by soldiers guarding the approaches to the camp of the "ragged continentals" at Valley Forge. These trees, the tallest in the forests, were scattered over what is now the upper end of the fashionable main line.

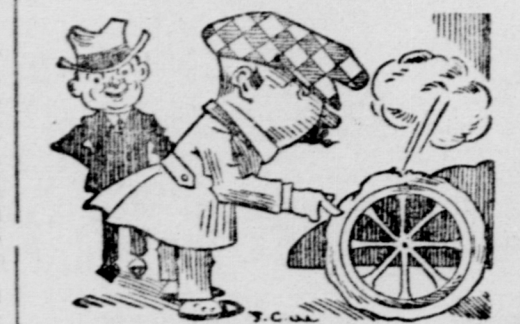
Platforms were built in their tops and there, day after day, lookouts watched the roads and the activities of marauding bands of Redcoats and Tories over the countryside. Warning of the approach of an enemy force was given by the observer firing his musket. The man in the next signal tree, a mile or more away, would then fire his musket and in this way the news would be carried eventually to Washington's camp.

Such was the crude manner of conveying information used by these members of the American army's first "intelligence service"—a far cry from the elaborate telephone and radio systems used on the battlefields of France.

Colombia Air Mail.

Colombian government is subsidizing the weekly aerial mail service of the Colombo-Alameda de Transportes Aereos between Barranquilla, Girardot and Nivela to the extent of \$100 per trip, plus a payment of 30 cents per 15 grams for mail carried. The company has 500 hydroairplanes with 500 horsepower motors, carrying three passengers each.

Mail transportation by river steam boat takes from one to two weeks going from Barranquilla to Bogota, depending on the condition of the river whereas by air service it arrives in 2 to 30 hours. American business men are able to purchase airtel stamps to use on this line to interior points in Colombia right in New York city.



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We Girls Forget.

My parents were entertaining a distinguished man, a college president. At the same time I had as my guests a couple of girl friends.

We spent the evening at a lovely concert and when we came home the rest of the household had retired. I was so full of the memories of the heavenly music I suppose that is why I completely forgot that the dignified resident was to occupy the guest room. So I blissfully sailed in and asked the electric button by the door, "Nursery to ushering my friends in to their room."

No light flashed up, so I went to the handkerchief to turn it on there, when I found from the depths of the bed came a big voice, "I think you are in the wrong room."—Chicago Tribune.

Sure Death.

The Woman was visiting some friends when the youthful heir apparent of the family came running in with a cut finger. The Woman offered to attend to it, as the lad's mother didn't appreciate the sight of gore. Taking the child into the bathroom, she got out the iodine bottle.

"What's that?" he inquired, whereupon the Woman proceeded to inform him.

"What's it for?" he asked as the Woman dabbed the iodine on.

"It kills the germs," she told him. The lad obeyed and ached for a moment, then said bravely: "I'll bet I know how it kills them. It stings them to death."—New York Tribune.

Dolls.

If you want to flirt with death, try to take away the toy elephant that Santa Claus brought to Tony and Waddy, elephants in the Boston zoo. They are as delighted with their toy as a little girl with her Christmas doll.

The parental instinct is the basis of all life.

Mothers, by teaching their small daughters to care for dolls as if they were growing children, can help shape the characters and careers of the third generation, as yet unborn.—Chicago Post.

Electric Locomotive Is Ancient.

In a Wyoming coal mine there is an electrical mine locomotive that is still going strong after 27 years. It has hauled 3,712,500 tons of coal an average of 1.5 miles. Many a mule has gone to a quiet grave in that period; for mules may come and mules may go, but an electric locomotive goes on all the time.

In France yellow is the color of jealousy and domestic discord and on that account many Frenchwomen will not wear yellow or have yellow flowers in their houses.

Horticultural News

PRUNE RASPBERRY IN SPRING

Best Time Is Just Before Sap Commences to Run, but After Danger of Frosts.

Raspberries should be pruned in the spring just before the sap commences to run, but after all danger of severe frosts is past. Generally there is a period of a week or ten days when conditions are ideal for the pruning work. And this applies to all cane fruits, and to grapes as well. Spring pruning gives the best results, says a writer in Successful Farming.

The pruning will have to be done along some preconceived plan and not in a haphazard fashion if the cane is to be made to produce at their maximum possibilities. Success with the fruits is dependent more upon the pruning knife than upon any other factor.

The berries should be all means kept out in rows wide enough to permit of easy access between them not only to make cultivation possible but also to make pruning easy. When a large plan is made and cultivation by horse cultivators is desirable, the row should be at least seven feet apart.

The canes may be either trained to a trellis or not. The character of pruning to be done will depend upon whether they have support or are to be forced to support themselves. Canes having a support can generally be pruned a little less severely than where stocky, sturdy growth is necessary in order to give them strength sufficient to support themselves.

It makes little difference in the quality of fruit grown, and is largely a matter of personal preference as to which method shall be adopted. It is doubtless true, however, that the closer the pruning, the better the quality of any fruit produced on canes. The quantity may be cut down by severe pruning, but the quality is always improved.

In going through the berry patch in the spring, select not more than three

MYSTERY ABOUNDED IN MOVIE MURDER



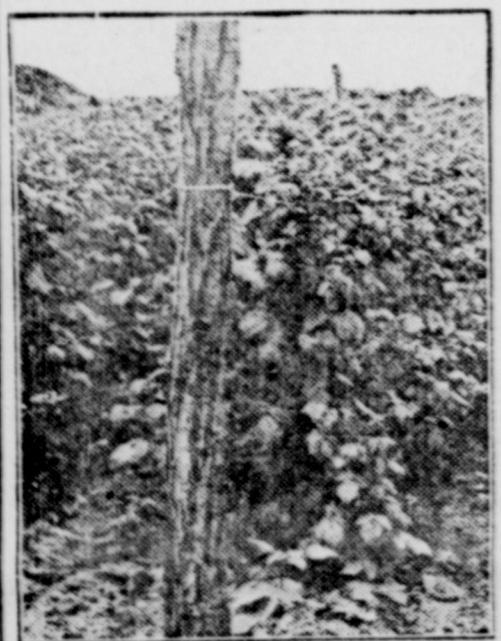
Edward F. Sanders

Ethel D. Tanner

Perhaps no murder mystery of recent years has so stirred the interest of the nation as the shooting of Wm. D. Taylor, Lasky movie director, at his home in Hollywood, Calif. Infatuation of Mabel Normand and Mary Miles Minter, two celebrated screen stars, for Taylor; the fact that he had formerly been married, and was the father of a

19-year-old daughter living in New York, were only incidents in the gripping tale of love, adventure, romance—and murder. Picture is of the home where Taylor was murdered. Inserts are of Taylor, his daughter, and Edward F. Sanders, former valet to Taylor, for whom police of the nation searched in trying to clear up the mystery.

or four good, healthy canes to each footstock, trim them to conform to



Raspberries Trained to a Single-Wire Trellis—The Bearing Canes Are Tied to the Wire to Hold Them Erect.

your growing system by cutting back to the proper length, then remove all other canes. The dead and diseased canes should be taken out, even though it leaves only a single healthy cane to each plant or bush.

It is highly important that this dead stock be removed from the berry patch each spring, as the fruiting canes of the present season die as soon as the fruiting season is over and new ones come on to fruit next season. The dead canes perform no service whatever after their fruiting season and only harbor insect pests and serve to clutter up the patch. Remove them and apply the match.

The important work of the spring pruning, aside from removing this useless matter from the berry patch, is to prune back the lateral branches which formed during previous growing season. It is upon these laterals that the fruit comes and if they are not pruned back in the spring, the fruit will be of very indifferent quality in the majority of seasons.

A good rule to use is to cut back the laterals one-half of the growth which they have made. If you want to produce the big, luscious kind of berries you see in the nursery catalogue.

The growth of sufficient laterals is also encouraged by the judicious use of the pruning knife during the summer growing season when the new canes are coming on.

Having your berries properly pruned, only one thing more is necessary to success and that is plenty of moisture. This is made possible by constant cultivation. Try using the hoe and the pruning knife on the berry patch and you will be amazed at the results.

Soy Beans for Pasture.
Some farmers sow soy beans for hog pasture, which is a good crop for that purpose. Soy beans are well liked by hogs.

Fancy Price for Ducks.
Early ducks bring fancy prices. The eggs are managed in an incubator just like hen eggs, except that they require four weeks to hatch.

Sowing Bluegrass.
The bluegrass should be sown with the orchard grass and clover.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head.
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Inc.

A share of your grocery business will be appreciated—Bettersworth's.

SCIENTISTS CAN BUT GUESS

No Absolute Proof Can Be Brought as to How Long Man Has Existed on the Earth.

It is proved that man—true man—existed on this earth many, many thousand years ago. How many no one can certainly say, but certainly longer than the period accepted as a strict dogma by Bible Christians without living memory (and still affirmed by some of them). It is not proved, but it is highly probable that there is genetic connection between man as we know him and the earlier inferior types of which evidence remains. If a critic were to maintain that man as we know him rose suddenly from some other type not yet found (for the evidence is very fragmentary and slight), he would not be contradicting ascertained fact; on the contrary, he has on his side the anomaly of fine skulls found in apparently very early strata; all that department is quite unfixated. That man as we know him was a vile thing for countless generations and gradually rose to practice the human virtues and intelligence is not proved at all. There is not an atom of proof. Even the vague analogy from existing savages fails. Some savages are of one character, some of another; all as old in descent as ourselves. The excessive evil affirmed of true man when first he could be so called is sheer unsupported affirmation proceeding not from evidence—for we have none—but from a mood, a desire that things should be so.—Hilaire Belloc, in the Yale Review.

VIVIDLY BROUGHT BACK PAST

Liberty Loan Posters Seemed Very Old, Though Only Three Years Really Have Elapsed.

A janitor's uncompleted work greeted elevated line patrons at one of the downtown stations the other evening. He had been removing advertising posters from the side of an adjacent building. The first layer remained stuck to the wall. They consisted of a series of posters for the third Liberty loan. One of these bore the pictures of a sailor, a soldier in a campaign hat and a shipyard worker. The sailor was "keeping the road open," the soldier was "building the road to Berlin" and the shipyard worker was making the ships. "Buy bonds to keep these men going; they're fighting for you," urged the artist.

The faded posters seemed to fascinate the crowd. To those who stayed at home it reminded them of the times they were "giving till it hurt," and to the veterans it recalled those days of the St. Mihiel drive and the preliminary smashes in the Argonne forest, or, perhaps, to some those hectic hours when they were "leaping from cafe to cafe" in Paris.

Like a ghost of the past, the posters stalked with their message. They were ages old with their three years of time.—Chicago Journal.

\$100 Reward, \$100

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The Woman's Club has obtained a splendid picture for Wednesday, February 22. Be sure to see "The Little Rebel."

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18 LAST DAY OF SALE

Special bargains are going to be offered. If you need anything come—you can save money. Below are a few of the many bargains:

One lot of Men's \$5 Shoes going at \$2.75
Blue wool poplin, was \$1.25, now going at, per yd 85c
Nice lot of poplins, former prices 25c to 45c, now 20c to 30c
Nice suitings, different colors, were 50c, now 35c
Nice wool storm serge, \$1.60 value, going at, per yard \$1.00
Nice gray wool serge, was \$1, now going at 75c
Green wool serge, was \$1, now going at 75c
Stripe serge, was 85c, now going at 65c
Half wool serge, was 65c, now going at 45c
Black wool poplin, well worth \$2 per yd, now going at \$1.50
Nice wool serge, was 85c, now going at per yard 65c
Nice lot of men's shirts that sold at \$1.50 now going at 85c
Lot of good flannel shirts are now going \$1.00 to \$1.50
Lot embroidery, per yard 5c
Cotton serge, was 50c, now 35c
Green serge, was 50c, now 35c
Brown serge, was 65c, now 45c
Lot taffeta, was 50c, now 35c
Suitings that were 30c, now 20c
Ginghams now 10c to 15c
Good outing now going at 10 to 16c
Best brand overalls at \$1.25
Lot of men's blue shirts going at 65c
Men's hats going at \$1.00 to \$1.25
Nice wool suit men's clothes at \$3.50
Single Coats at \$2.00
Men's ribbed union suits now \$1.00
Nice white handkerchiefs, six for 25c
Calico that was 10c now going at 8c
One lot of sweater at \$1.00

Lot women's suits going at, per suit \$1.50 to \$3.50
Nice lot overcoats going now at the unheard of prices of \$3.50 to \$5.00
One lot women's wool sweaters now going at \$1.00 to \$2.00
Some nice, stylish women's sweaters going at \$3.50
A lot of caps and scarfs going at prices ranging from 15c to \$2.25
Reductions on all Men's and Ladies' Shoes.

FURNITURE goes in this sale, too.
Upright cabinet graphophones that sold for \$75 to \$100, now \$50 to \$60
45-pound white cotton mattresses at \$7.50
Cotton top mattress at \$3.50
Children's Underwear going at 25 to 50c
Cotton serge, half wool, 60c and 40c
Blue wool serge, was \$1, now 75c
Black serge, was 50c, now 30c
Brown serge, was 50c, now 35c
Green serge, was 30c, now 20c
Some overalls at 50c to \$1.00
Blue serge dresses were \$2.50, now \$1.00
Children's RUBBERS and OVER-SHOES going at a bargain.

All kinds of Black and White Toilet Preparations at reduced prices.
95c leather gloves going at 65c
Romper goods worth 25c, now 20c
O. N. T. thread 5c
Men's hose at 10c to 15c

All DISHES go in this sale.
Nice large plates, per set \$1.00
Rugs, bed blankets, comforts, all go at reduced prices.

Too many things to mention in this space. Come and see. Something not mentioned here may be the very thing you want. Chances are we have it.

E. P. WRIGHT

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Hickman, Kentucky

Engine Has Three Carburetors.

Three carburetors on one engine presented an odd appearance at a French auto show recently and was the subject of much comment. The engine, which is illustrated in the Popular Mechanics Magazine, is a 40 horse power and has six cylinders. When three carburetors are fitted, two of them supply independent groups of cylinders, for high power and speed, while the third supplies all the cylinders at low speed, or "loading range," as it is called. Thus, if a motor car has an engine with six cylinders, these are divided into two groups of three, and one carburetor feeds each group when high speed is desired, or when heavy power is needed, as in hill climbing. The third carburetor feeds all of the cylinders at low speed.

From Prisoner to Prison Reformer.

Edward H. Morrell, director of the department of prisons of the bureau of commercial economics, was at one time the youngest member of a band of California outlaws and after his capture he was for years regarded as one of the worst prisoners ever brought to the San Quentin prison, but under the guidance of a new warden he became head trusty and finally was pardoned. Since his release he has devoted himself to the work of bringing about prison reforms and has been very successful. He says the present method of punishment has the effect of intensifying criminality. He advocates the abolishment of prisons and the establishment of prison farms and vocational education for prisoners.—Chicago Journal.

Accepted With Pleasure.

Being raised in a small town where there were no tag days, naturally I had never had it explained to me. While staying with an aunt in a somewhat larger town the annual tag day was observed. I was shopping that day and two young women asked me if I wanted a tag.

I readily replied, "Yes," and walked away with the tag without contributing any money.

I noticed the girls laughing, but could not imagine why, so when I arrived home I asked my aunt why they were giving those tags away. Imagine my consternation when she explained what I had done.—Exchange.

Bird Lost Its Bearings.

A rancher living at Squilax, B. C., was awakened one morning at day-break by being hit on the face. On getting up and investigating he found a grouse had flown in through the open window. It also flew into an adjoining room where it was captured.

Groceries—Bettersworth.

On Thursday evening of last week Miss Jane Binford entertained the Bridge Club at five tables. A salad course and grape juice were served. The guests were Mesdames C. M. Reynolds, E. D. Johnson, W. A. Dodds, Jessie Dillon, Henry Sanger, Swayne Walker, Edward Prather, Gus Alexander, Karl Talley, Delbert Choate, R. L. Bradley, C. T. Bondurant, Tom French, S. D. Stenbridge and Joe Engel, and Misses Mildred Ramage, Carrie Male Reid, Allie Dodds and Nell Bondurant.

On Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30 Mrs. Joe Engel entertained at four tables of bridge. A delightful salad course and coffee were served. The guests were Mesdames J. Mack Reid,

J. M. Calvin, E. J. Stahr, E. D. Johnson, Tom French, Jessie Dillon, W. H. Baltzer, E. B. Prather, W. F. Rennenberg, H. N. Cowgill, Jr., F. E. Case, J. T. Stephens, Edward Prather, M. M. Spradlin and C. M. House and Miss Homer Green.

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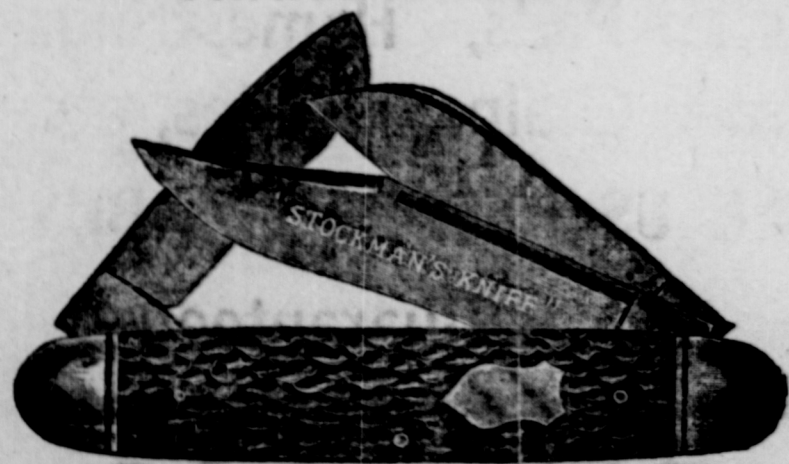
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SPENDS A DAY IN MOUNTAINS

W. C. Speer Sends Another Enjoyable
Word Picture of California

(Editor's Note—This is one of a series of letters by W. C. Speer, in which he will give our readers a description of California first hand.)

BY W. C. SPEER

At no time since we have been in Southern California have we been out of sight of the mountains; while many of the towns seem to be entirely surrounded by them. You probably know that we do not have twilight here, as we do at home, as a result of the proximity of the ocean. But the mountains far and near present an exquisite color combination at the twilight hour, changing from white or brown to lavender, then merging into dark blue or purple, which gradually fades into obscurity—and night.

In the early fall months we were very pleasantly surprised to receive an invitation from an old friend, formerly a prominent young attorney of Hickman, to visit him at his headquarters, near Seven Oaks, high up in the San Bernardino range of mountains, some forty miles from Riverside. Anxious to see him and to make the trip, we took an early morning start, as the cold weather had not yet set in. Our friend was in the U. S. forestry service and stationed just a short distance from Big Bear Lake, a body of water as large as Reelfoot and located literally in the clouds.

We have been over several of the great ranges in our drive to the Golden Gate state, but had seen nothing as beautiful as we found on this trip after entering Mill Creek canon and starting up the ascent.

Oh, yes; the "control road" was new to us—and probably to the reader. In brief, a control road is one with a guard stationed on each end of certain sections (17 miles in this instance), because the road is dangerous on account of its narrowness and many sharp turns and zigzags. Traffic is permitted to go one way for an hour and a half, then the opposite direction for the same length of time, being operated strictly on schedule. If you have a breakdown or for any reason fail to make it thru in the allotted time, you must sidetrack and stay there until traffic again starts your direction. Without this plan in operation on such roads many serious accidents would result.

Entering Mill Creek canon one begins climbing, looping, hairpinning, up, up, up, over narrow roads, some of which are mere shelves or ledges above yawning chasms on the one side and towering cliffs of solid rock on the other. Occasionally we cross a rustic bridge spanning a mountain stream—here and there a waterfall, pouring over the moss covered walls. As we climb, we note, though the line is indefinable, a change in vegetation: leaving the semi-tropical behind and entering great forests of pine and oak, which seem to grow out of a carpet of wild ferns waist high. The temperature, too, gradually drops until we find a difference of 30 to 40 degrees cooler near the summit at an elevation of 7900 feet.

The clouds, like mountains of snow, are no longer above us—they are on a level or below. Frequently they envelop us like a dense fog—and are quickly gone. There is a rarity or clearness of the atmosphere that is never found in the lower regions. Most like, I would say, the air feels at home after a fine spring shower, plus a sort of subtle aromatic from the pine cones. An elixir, if you please, that brings color to the face and gives one "pep" and appetite. In these high altitudes some people experience nosebleed, and those with weak hearts, too, feel the change, but these troubles soon subside. Going up most all of us feel a peculiar sensation about the ears. Even the autos get groggy at certain altitudes. The difference in the amount of oxygen in the air puts the carburetor on the blink. To give her more or less gas cuts no ice; the old boat labors like it might be towing about six others. My experience in two different cars is that the trouble invariably occurs at an elevation of between 4500 and 5500 feet, and above 5500—presto! the car picks right up.

We finally reached the top. It is level in a way, and not a pinnacle, as the initiated might suppose, but many square miles in area. Here are marvelous lakes, forests of majestic pines and wide spreading oaks, interspersed with camps and resort hotels—one of the summer playgrounds of Californians. Our friend's camp is located by a wild, dashing, clear mountain stream, filled with speckled trout. (Captain Shuck, Dr. Curdin and Lowery Stone please take note). This stream is the combined strength of numerous snow fed springs. The air is bracing, the sky a marvelous blue, distant mountain peaks are mirrored in the placid waters of the lake, and with the exception of the songs of birds and the murmur of the waters, profound quietude reigns. Here one finds opportunity for real mental and physical rest and relaxation.

This range includes a part of the famous "Rim of the World" trip, a distance of 101 miles. Sightseeing in California would be incomplete without making it, as the lakes and mountains combine to produce one of the most rare and striking panoramas in the outdoor world. Nature has been lavish in her bestowal of varied loveliness here. Everywhere the eye wanders we are charmed by the brilliance and variety of scenes hidden away "far from the madding crowd," in this primeval forest and mountain fastness. Here one gets real visions of Nature in her ruggedest modes of grandeur.

But, like the ocean, even the mountains are beginning to show signs of encroachment for financial exploitation. Around the Big Bear lake, hotels and the sign of the dollar mark are looming up. Among these are Big Bear Tavern, Pine Knot Lodge, Indian Lodge, Swastika and others. Furnished cabins, too, are to be had at so much per. The city of Los Angeles has also established a municipal playground here.

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Heinz Famous fig pudding, limit 6 cans, per can **45c**

Heinz Famous plum pudding, limit 6 cans, per can **45c**

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Pure lard, per lb **13½c**

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The wives of three great writers—Coleridge, Southey and Lowell—were sisters.

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REMINISCENCES

FIFTY YEARS AGO

"Congress has enacted a law requiring that the voting for its members shall hereafter be by ballot, and not by the honest, straightforward Kentucky plan."

"Elder Esberth H. Osborn will commence a series of sermons at the Baptist church Tuesday night."

"The bill to re-establish the Court of Common Pleas in Hickman county has passed the lower house of the Legislature."

"There was talk of tunneling the English Channel from Dover to Calais. [This is one of the few projects contemplated half a century ago that has not as yet come to pass.]

"The editor has been sick, unable for duty, the latter part of this week, and hence the scarcity of local news."

"Kentucky has 924 postoffices. Only ten other states have a greater number."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

"Boston is to have a horseless fire engine."

"The present Congress, during the two sessions, appropriated more than one billion dollars."

"Claude Walker has been appointed a deputy sheriff."

"The steamer Ora Lee will shortly enter the Cairo and Caruthersville trade."

"The weather for the past week has been delightfully pleasant."

"Elder James H. Brooks continues his work with the Christian church this year."

A candidate for jailer in Calloway county offered to buy two bloodhounds if he were elected to the office."

The following five pupils in the third year high school had the best grades: Ivey Cheek, Leone Fuqua, Ivy DeBow, Henry Heim and Alice Cowgill.

W. P. Taylor announced as a candidate for judge of the county court. D. W. Dickinson announced for the same office.

Mrs. M. A. McDaniel was advertising Black Langshan chickens for sale.



"Quaff ye the waters of Ramona's well,
Good luck they bring and secrets tell;
Blessed were they by sanded Friar,
So drink and wish for thy desire."

GOOD IDEAS FOR THE COOK

As food materials differ in price with the locality and with the season it is often impossible to follow a recipe, as we find some ingredient either too expensive or difficult to obtain. If the housewife understands the composition of foods she can substitute some other food material with good results.

For example, when butter is called for, chicken fat, sour cream, clarified bacon fat or some one of the butter substitutes may be used. Cream contains more water than butter, chicken fat less; so in using such fats this must be taken into account.

Chopped nuts are also added to dishes to add to the food value. All these things are invaluable knowledge for the housewife to have. It is easy to find from bulletins published by the United States Department of Agriculture almost anything in regard to foods.

The following data will be helpful culture almost anything in regard to foods:

One cupful of whole milk, two teaspoonfuls, all measurements level.

One cupful of cream, three tablespoonfuls; double cream, six tablespoonfuls.

Butter, one cupful, fourteen tablespoonfuls; the two unaccounted for, salt and moisture.

One cupful of English walnut meats, two-thirds of a cupful of fat.

Peanuts, one cupful, about one-third fat.

Chocolate, one square (one ounce), one tablespoonful of fat (scant).

Grated cheese (four ounces), one cupful; two and one-half tablespoonfuls of fat.

One egg yolk, a little more than a teaspoonful; a whole egg the same.

Vegetable oils, from which all water has been driven off, contain one cupful to one cupful.

In a cake in which two-thirds of a cupful of butter is required and one cupful of milk, using a cupful of cream, reducing the butter two tablespoonfuls and two tablespoonfuls of water added, will make the proportions right.

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The California Manufacturers' Association has asked the state to reduce the women's weekly minimum wage from \$16 a week to \$12.50.

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LODGE NOTES

Hickman Chapter No. 289, Order of the Eastern Star, meets the second Friday evening of each month at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting sisters and brothers are cordially invited.—Mrs. Annie Hale, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Bertha Crutchfield, Sec'y.

American Legion—Business meeting first Thursday night in each month, 8 p. m. at Commercial Club rooms. Ex-service men urged to meet with us. Present discharge petition and be balloted on same night.—Dee Reid, Post Commander; Charles Fethe, Adjutant.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local Union No. 2089, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the City Hall. Visiting Brothers invited to attend. W. J. Shaw, President. H. A. Fleming, Secretary.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, B. P. O. Elks, meets first and third Wednesdays at Elks' Home.

S. D. Stenbridge, Exalted Ruler.

Marshall McDaniel, Secretary.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., meets in stated communication on the second and fourth Monday nights in each month at the Odd Fellows building. Visiting brothers always welcome.—W. J. McMurry, Master. W. F. Renneberg, Secretary.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., meets in stated convocation on the 3d Monday night of each month. Visiting companions are extended a cordial welcome.—W. F. Renneberg, High Priest; Stanley D. Stenbridge, Secretary.

Fulton Lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F., meets each Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the Odd Fellows building. A cordial invitation extended to all Odd Fellows and visitors are welcome.—J. E. Pierce, Noble Grand; W. W. Ama, Secretary.

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The four celebrities are the only European members of the Knights of Columbus, each having been made honorary members of the organization on the occasion of their visits to America. The duke de Veragua was made a member of the K. of C. more than twenty years ago, when he visited America for the Columbian exposition, held in honor of his ancestor's discovery of America. He was the first honorary member of the K. of C.

Cardinal Mercier and King Albert were made knights in 1920 and Marshal Foch, the latest honorary member of the K. of C., was made a knight in Chicago when he visited that city on his American visit.

Incidentally Marshal Foch is the millionth man to have the honors of Columbian knighthood conferred on him, as the present membership is 800,000 and losses through death and other causes in the history of the K. of C. amount to approximately 200,000. Several classes to be initiated were postponed to give Marshal Foch the millionth position.

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I have 10 acres of good land about a half mile from town. The very place for someone wishing to truck.

Will grow any kind of vegetable or anything else

Will sell reasonable. If interested, see

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In Spain a woman's mantilla is held as sacred, and it cannot be sold for debt.

Intestinal worms destroy the health of children and weaken their vitality. The worms should be expelled before serious damage is done. White's Cream Vermifuge is a thoroughly successful remedy. Price 35c. Sold by all druggists.

Nebraska has thirty-five women preachers.

Among the famous women authors who never married were Hannah More, Agnes Strickland, Jane Porter, Joanna Baillie, Maria Edgeworth and Adeline Anne Proctor.

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HE WANTED A CHANGE, AND HE GOT IT

We were getting a dollar six-bits for our corn.
We could sell every hide from the hoof to the horn—
We wanted a change and we got it.

Now we're getting a quarter for corn. It's so cheap
That we burn it for fuel, our toes warm to keep.
We can't sell the hides so we bury them deep—
But we wanted a change and we got it.

The poor working man pulled down eight bucks a day.
Now he's darned glad to work for half of that pay—
But we wanted a change and we got it.

There was work and a plenty for every man's son,
And warm food and shelter when that work was done;
Now millions are idle, heretofore there was none—
But we wanted a change and we got it.

Mr. Wilson spent quite a long time "over there,"
For peace he was fighting but what did we care—
We wanted a change and we got it.

Now all we read is of golf and vacations,
Gay week-ends at summer resorts and plantations;
Not what we expected from the head of a Nation—
But we wanted a change and we got it.

We were prosperous and happy, well fed and gay,
Now millions of children go hungry each day—
We wanted a change and we got it.

Meanwhile we hear this: "It was certain to come—
Reaction from war time," and war three years done.
If we wanted a lemon we sure did pick one—
But we wanted a change and we got it.

—Omaha World-Herald.

The High Cost of Honor.

Nobility orders and badges of honor in Germany hitherto, upon the death of the owner, have been left as souvenirs to his heirs, though only upon payment to the state of their bullion value. Now the prime minister announces that because of the increased value of gold he is compelled, in the interest of the state, to increase by 100 per cent the prices of all such decorations.

It does not appear that this applies to the Iron Cross, though it has been so numerous awarded, one would think, as materially to affect the supply of that most useful metal.

Don't overlook our "cash ad" this week.—Reid Bros.

FOR SALE.

Poland China bear pigs. Papers furnished. Price \$20 each.—Paul Choate, 2p35

Price our harness before you buy. Price guaranteed.—Reid Bros.

Mrs. Gus Cook returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Paducah.

Dressmaking and Hemstitching by Miss Zora Davis, Franklin's Store, Fulton, Ky.

O. L. Cunningham spent several days in Fulton this week.

For Sand and Gravel see C. A. Trust, Phone 80.

Seed Oats and Feed Oats at Mooney's.

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That should be kept in an up-to-date metropolitan market.

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Lamb Chops	35c
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Beef Roast	10c, 12½c, 15c
Beefsteak	25c
Pork Chops	25c
Pork Roast	20c, 25c
Spare Ribs	20c
Pig Hearts	10c
Pig Melts	10c
Pig Liver	10c
Beef Liver	20c
Pork Brains	25c
Wieners	25c
Minced Ham	25c
Sliced Ham	40c, 45c
Whole Ham	35c
Boiled Ham	60c
Bologna Sausage	25c
Sliced Breakfast Bacon	40c, 45c, 50c
Souse	20c
Liver Pudding	20c
Liver Pudding, smoked	20c
Pure Pork Sausage	20c
Pure Pork Sausage, links	30c
Beef Tongues, per lb.	20c
Pure Hog Lard	14c
Best Dry Salt Bacon	14c
Smoked Bacon	20c
Sugar Cured Bacon	25c
Snowdrift Lard, per lb.	20c

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Hotbeds and Cold Frames Enable Gardener to Protect Plants From Weather.

OPERATIONS STARTED EARLIER

Beds May Be Utilized Throughout Spring and Summer—They Are Inexpensive and Easily Operated—Ventilation Essential.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Hotbeds and cold frames enable the home gardener to lengthen the growing season for his crops. With them he can start his operations a few weeks in advance of the last chilly days of spring, before which it is not possible to plant out of doors. Throughout the spring and summer these beds may be utilized, and after the first fall frost they furnish protection for late vegetables. They are inexpensive and easily operated, say garden specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Making a Hotbed Sash.

Standard hotbed sash are 3 by 6 feet, and it is customary to make a home garden hotbed with one, two, or more sash, according to the size of bed desired. Select a well-protected and thoroughly-drained spot, dig a pit 12 to 18 inches deep and a little larger than the bed is to be made. Throw the good top soil to one side. For a two-sash bed about one good wagonload of fresh horse-stable manure will be required. The manure should be thrown in a flat pile a few feet away from where the bed is to be constructed and the pile turned about twice at intervals of three or four days. As it is turned the outer portion of the pile is thrown to the middle and the inner portion to the outside, in order to get uniform heating throughout. Then put the manure into the pit, each forkful being shaken to break it apart and spread it evenly. It should be just moist enough to pack reasonably solid, but springy under the feet.

The frame of the bed, made of wood, is then set on top of the manure and the earth from the bottom of the pit banked up outside of the frame to keep out the cold. The north side of the frame should be 6 inches higher than



Preparing a Hotbed to Get Ahead of Jack Frost.

the south side. The good soil from the surface of the pit is spread on the packed manure. It is a good plan to mix a little well-rotted manure with this soil.

Put the sash on and leave the bed to heat for several days. First the manure will become very hot, then after two or three days it will gradually cool. The temperature will then remain more moderate. No seeds should be planted until the temperature of the soil has fallen below 85 degrees. Use a thermometer, the bulb of which is buried about 3 inches deep in the soil. Feeling the bed with the hand is not a reliable method of taking the temperature. Have a piece of old carpet or a burlap mat to throw over the sash for protection on extremely cold nights.

Care of Hotbeds.

Hotbeds must be watched during bright weather to prevent them becoming too warm, as the sun shining directly on the glass soon brings the temperature above that suitable for the growing of plants.

Ventilation is provided by propping the sash up at one side or the other according to the direction of the wind. Have the wind blow over the opening and not directly into the bed.

Cold frames are hotbeds minus artificial heat—simply sash-covered frames with no pit under them but banked up on the outside to keep out the cold. They are useful for growing plants that have been started in hotbeds, and for hardening plants to get them in condition to plant in the garden. Sometimes a bed about 12½ feet in length covered by four regular hotbed sash is divided into two parts, one part being made into a hotbed and the other a cold frame. This is an excellent arrangement and one that is not expensive.

CAYCE NEWS

Interesting Items by The Courier's Special Correspondent.

Miss Mary Prather left school Friday at noon sick. She was not able to come back Monday.

Mrs. Mabel Hampton, Mrs. Nailing and Mrs. Well visited Miss Annie Cruce Friday. She has been real sick.

Mrs. Bettie Roper, of near Fulton spent the week-end with her niece, Mrs. J. W. Naylor.

Mrs. Etta Sains, of near Crutchenfield visited Mrs. J. W. Naylor Friday. Misses Alla Mae and Pattie Mae Spigg spent the week-end with Myr Belle Carr.

Miss Margaret Jones and Miss Mabel Moore spent Friday night with Clarice Bondurant.

Rev. and Mrs. Baker went to see Miss Annie Cruce Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hampton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Miller, of near Fulton.

Clarice Bondurant and Henry Campbell attended court at Clinton Wednesday.

Dr. J. W. Naylor has a new Ford car. Rev. Brecken of Hickman is pastor of the Baptist Church here. He preaches on the fourth Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Mary Evelyn Johnson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roper.

Valentine Party.

Misses Maudine Seacore and Clarice Bondurant entertained at the home of the latter on Friday night in honor of the Senior Class.

The St. Valentine idea was carried out in the decorations. Festoons of hearts were suspended from the doorways, lamps and over the windows and Valentine games and contests were enjoyed. At the close of the evening, the guests, after matching hearts, repaired to the beautifully decorated dining room where delightful refreshment were served. Those present were: Misses Margaret Jones, Louise Wade, Jennie V. Taylor, Blanche Harrison, Alla Mae and Pattie Mae Spigg, Myr Belle Carr, Ruby Davis, Messrs. Glen Atwill, Burnie Stallins, Cecil Baker, Alvin Reece, Roper Fields, Truman Bondurant, Earl Oliver, Richard Bransford, Herschel Brown and Maurice Bondurant.

FOR SALE.

My home place, about 3-4 of a mile from town, on Troy Road. For particulars see me.—J. C. Ellison, 137r.

Mrs. Russell Johnson entertained Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 to four at a Valentine party in honor of her little daughters, Agnes Goulder and Helen Shaw Johnson. The house was decorated in hearts, a suggestion of Valentine, and Agnes Goulder wore a red crepe paper dress and Helen Shaw a white crepe paper dress with red hearts on it. Many games were played and Little Miss Jane Reid won the prize: a box of Mother Goose stationery. They were then invited into the dining room where the table was filled with red candles and valentines. The little folks were served cake and hot chocolate and candy and presented a valentine. Those present were: Masters Robert Johnson, Charles Brown, J. C. Bondurant, Jess White, Ardell Nugent, James Allen Mitchell, George House, Thomas Stone, LeRue Naylor, Richard Chesire, John Cowgill, Jr., Richard Goulder, Val Carpenter Shaw and James Creed. Little Misses Margaret Curdin, Kathryn Ruth Johnson, Hilda Dale Spradlin, Jane Reid, Mary Helen Henry, Frances Amberg, Margaret Mason French and Ruth Gordon Stokes.

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FOR RENT—6 room house with two porches, big yard, garden, smoke house, hen house, and good chicken, on gravel road. Also twenty good work mules for sale. Some coming two year olds, will swap for aged mules. 800 bushels of Burt Oats, very fine for seed, for sale, in sacks.—Julian Choate, 264r.

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H. W. Whipple is suffering from an attack of the flu.

Plenty of good hay at Mooney's.

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Hemstitching and picotting attachment works on any sewing machine, easily adjusted. Price \$2.50 with full instructions. Oriental Novelty Co., Box 11, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Straight Salary \$25 per week and expenses to man or woman with rig to introduce POULTRY MIXTURE.—Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

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Black Langshan Cockerels of the famous Greider strain, \$2.00.—Mrs. E. D. Johnson, 910 Troy Ave. 36 3r.

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OFFERS SELF IN MARRIAGE FOR \$1,000



Pretty Theresa Katona, of Brooklyn, N. Y., offers herself in marriage for \$1,000, the money to aid her father, mother and six small brothers and sisters, the latter all under 15 years of age. The father is ill and out of work. Theresa's only qualifications for a husband (other than the \$1,000) are that he be healthy and a Christian. She agrees to wed on her 19th birthday, November 28, this year.

ROPER DISTRICT NEWS

J. W. Rogers, who has been in bad health for the past two years, has been very ill this week.

Rev. H. M. Crain, of Hopkinsville was a visitor in Hickman several days of the past week.

H. L. Amberg left Sunday for St. Louis markets. He was accompanied by his wife.

"The Littlest Rebel" is entertaining and at the same time a clean and wholesome picture.

Good, fine corn, bran, and shorts, sweet feed, hen feed and chick feed at Mooney's.

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S. C. Taylor of Memphis spent a few days this week the guest of Miss Homer Green.

Mrs. Maggie Randle attended the funeral of Mrs. Gardner in Martin last week.

Purina Hen Chow and Purina Chowder will make the old hen produce.—Reid Bros.

C. G. Schenker has returned from a business trip to Hollow Rock.

Don't overlook our "cash ad" this week.—Reid Bros.

For Gasoline Lunch service, see Clifford Trusty, or Phone 80. 36 4r.

Oscar Sliger, of Louisville, is in the city this week on business.

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Miss Ruth Perry, of Fulton, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Purcell.

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FOR RENT—Pair small aged mules.—Rob Goulder, 3c36

Don't fail to see "The Littlest Rebel," Feb. 22, 19 and 20 cents.

David Oliver attended a dance in Fulton Thursday night.

Arthur Hale is confined to his bed, suffering from the flu.

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J. W. Ward is ill with pneumonia.

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